Assembly Bill No. 114

CHAPTER 21

An act to add Section 23399.7 to, and to repeal Section 23433.5 of, the Business and Professions Code, relating to alcoholic beverages, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 114, Battin. Alcoholic beverages: licenses: golf course facility.

The Alcoholic Beverage Control Act provides that a club license for a golf club entitles the licensee to make sales of alcoholic beverages from any golf cart, as defined, operating on the golf club premises.

This bill would delete that provision and instead provide that any license issued to any golf course facility, or any license issued to a licensee that operates at any golf course facility, entitles the licensee to make sales of alcoholic beverages from any golf cart, as defined, that the licensee operates on the golf course premises.

This bill would declare that it is to take effect immediately as an urgency statute.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 23399.7 is added to the Business and Professions Code, to read:

23399.7. Any license issued to any golf course facility, or any license issued to a licensee that operates at any golf course facility, entitles the licensee to make sales of alcoholic beverages from any golf cart, as defined in Section 345 of the Vehicle Code, that the licensee operates on the golf course premises.

SEC. 2. Section 23433.5 of the Business and Professions Code is repealed.

SEC. 3. This act is an urgency statute necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety within the meaning of Article IV of the Constitution and shall go into immediate effect. The facts constituting the necessity are:

As a result of inadvertent error, the intent of Chapter 82 of the Statutes of 1996, which was to allow all golf course facilities, not only golf clubs, to make sales of alcoholic beverages from a golf cart, was not completely effectuated. In order to implement that intent as soon as possible, it is necessary that this act take effect immediately.